

WEARY OF HER LIFE; ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

DESERTED BY MAN WHO HAD PROMISED TO CARE FOR HER.

FIRES BULLET INTO HER SIDE

Officers Now Looking for C. H. Rutledge, Who Left Woman and Children.

Disheartened by the desertion of Clarence H. Rutledge, the man with whom she has been living for over a year and who is the father of her youngest child, a young woman, 28 years of age, who has been known to Dixon people as the wife of that man, this morning attempted suicide by shooting herself in the left side with a revolver which the man had left in the house when he deserted her one week ago today, Saturday, Nov. 11.

The shooting occurred at the home which Rutledge deserted, which is the second house south of the Lee county jail, on Hennepin avenue, at about 11:25 o'clock this morning. A lad by the name of Woltz, who was running through the yard, saw Mrs. Rutledge standing near a window with the revolver pressed against her left side.

Heard Shot; Called Help.

Naturally the boy was very much frightened and started to run away. He had barely left the window when he heard a shot, and looking up saw Matthew Keenan passing on the sidewalk. He told Mr. Keenan of the occurrence and he in turn notified Sheriff Reid, who with other officials took charge of the matter.

They went to the house and found the woman on the floor, suffering slightly from the bullet wound but conscious. Surgeons were immediately summoned and an ambulance was called, the woman being taken to the hospital immediately.

Wound Did Not Bleed.

A peculiarity of the wound which was at once noticed by the officers and surgeons was the slight amount of blood which flowed from it. The woman was conscious at all times, and repeatedly asserted that she wished to die and that life held little or interest for her.

The clothing and skin of the body were badly burned by the powder from the bulldog revolver which she used. At the hospital the doctors made a thorough examination, and announced that the bullet entered the body about four inches below the heart in a diagonal and downward direction and that all indications are that it will not prove fatal. It is the belief of the physicians that the bullet did not penetrate the lungs or intestines, but passed through an unoccupied space in the abdomen. Unless an internal artery has been severed, the attending surgeons anticipate a quick recovery. The bullet passed almost entirely through the body and can be seen from the back. The surgeons have not probed for it and will not find that action necessary.

A Story of an Unhappy Lives

The story of the life of this unhappy woman and the man who deserted her is a tale of life's darker side. Mrs. Rutledge, as she is known to Dixon people, is an attractive woman of about 26 years. Her maiden name was Theresa Hoey and her home was at Hudson, Mich., where, until a year ago, her parents resided according to information in the officers' hands.

Nine years ago she was married to Melvin Warner, and the couple lived at Vermillion, Ohio, for eight years, when her husband deserted her for another woman. Apparently her marriage did not meet with the approval of her parents and with one child she was forced to battle with the world after her husband deserted her.

Rutledge Has Wife.

Somewhere and somehow she met has set a new corn husking record Rutledge, who had left a wife and by picking 185 bushels of corn in 8 four children. The unequal battle she hours and claims the world's championship was waging with the world caused fionship, which has been broken in her to accept the offer of Rutledge, this vicinity several times the past and she came to Dixon with him as week.

WILLIAM H. MANN

Virginia Governor Who Refused to Save Beattie from Chair.



Photo by American Press Association.

his wife. For over a year they have lived here, and the unfortunate woman who lies at the hospital gave birth to a child four months ago.

Has Not Been Well.

Mrs. Rutledge has not been well and Rutledge, who had been a conductor on the S. D. & E., with the statement that he was going to Sterling to look for work, left her Saturday. Since that time the woman whom he deserted has not heard from him. With her older boy, David, 5 years old, and the infant on her hands, in a state of health that made her almost an invalid, and deserted by the man who should have protected her, Mrs. Rutledge, as she had been known here, gave up the fight.

Stayed at Neighbor's.

Since the desertion of Rutledge the woman and her children have been staying at the Harry Himes home, one door north of their residence. Repeatedly Mrs. Rutledge had threatened to kill herself, but during the past few days her manner has appeared to improve and her friends have relaxed their watch over her.

Rutledge Deserted Wife.

Since the unfortunate affair of this morning Sheriff Reid and his assistants have learned that Rutledge deserted a wife and four children over a year ago and that his deserted family is now in Cleveland, O. He has also been traced since he left Dixon and it is announced by the sheriff's office that he will soon be arrested and brought back to this city to answer to serious charges. He is said to be in Peoria now and it is also reported that he has corresponded with some Dixon women since leaving here. He is 26 years of age and his manner is such that he has been able to win the regard of many women.

FARM BRINGS \$176 PER ACRE AT SALE

RECORD PRICE FOR LEE COUNTY LAND UNDER THE HAMMER.

A record price for Lee county farm lands sold under the hammer was established yesterday when the 120-acre farm of the late Harry D. Phillips was sold for \$176.50 at master's sale. The land, which is in Viola township, was sold by Master-in-Chancery A. C. Bardwell to settle the estate of Mr. Phillips and the price obtained, paid by Julius Arnold, is the highest ever paid for land sold by the master.

NEW HUSKING RECORD

Carl Roberts of Bureau county somewhere and somehow she met has set a new corn husking record Rutledge, who had left a wife and by picking 185 bushels of corn in 8 four children. The unequal battle she hours and claims the world's championship was waging with the world caused fionship, which has been broken in her to accept the offer of Rutledge, this vicinity several times the past and she came to Dixon with him as week.

FRIENDLY SLAP CAUSES PARALYSIS

DEKALB MAN PLAYFULLY HIT ON BACK WHILE FILLING COAL STOVE.

Harlan, Ia., Nov. 18.—As the result of a friendly slap on the back which was given him by Earl Wallace, L. R. Parker of DeKalb, Ill., is paralyzed.

Parker is night operator for the Great Western here and was filling the station stove with coal when Wallace entered Wallace saluted him with a jovial cuff and Parker fell to the floor, unable to move a muscle. Today he has a little use of one of his hands.

His home is in DeKalb and he is said to have been injured recently in a street car accident in Chicago, from which he is not fully recovered. His spine was hurt.

ROCKFORD MAY BAR I. N. G. ENCAMPMENT

PARK BOARD EXPECTED TO REFUSE USE OF LAND FOR ENCAMPMENT.

Rockford, Nov. 18.—Rockford's park board voted to decline to grant the use of Mississippi park for the brigade encampment of the I. N. G., proposed for Rockford next summer. The two socialist members of the board are opposed to the military idea and also endorse President Levis Faust's objection, based on alleged moral grounds.

Mr. Faust says reports he has received from other cities that have had encampments are not favorable from a moral viewpoint. Sennissippi park is considered the only available site for an encampment.

The chamber of commerce is behind the movement to bring the national guardsmen to Rockford.

QUESTIONS FOR GAME CHASERS

WHAT SHOULD CHICKEN SHOOTER DO IF ATTACKED BY A PRECOCIOUS HEN.

According to the game laws in Illinois under which prairie chickens are being slain the day's bag for a hunter is three of the birds for each day.

This has caused several questions as to what to do in certain emergencies when they are in the field. For instance, suppose a hunter gets into a field and right there in front of him goes a flock of prairie chickens. Suppose he shoots into the bunch and gets four, what is he to do, surrender himself to justice or bury the bird and run on home?

Suppose a fierce prairie chicken attacks the hunter, is he to turn and flee, or will the law uphold him if he turns and protects himself? Of course all of the Dixon hunters who have been out have taken particular pains to keep within the limit and every one who has had a shot at the birds has been satisfied with the limit and has then gone home or turned his attention to rabbits, but there is considerable doubt in the minds of others as to what they would do in an emergency.

WHAT OCCURS TONIGHT.

Catholic Bazar—Rosbrook Hall. O. M. P.—Dance. Vaudeville—Family Theatre. Pictures—Princess Theatre. Sunday.

Men's Meeting, 4 p. m.—Y. M. C. A.

Cantata—7:30 p. m.—Methodist Church. G. A. R. Service, 7:30 p. m.—Presbyterian. Evangelistic Service—North Side Church.

Monday.

G. A. R. Circle—G. A. R. Hall. O. E. S. Parlor Club—Mrs. Woodburn.

M. W. A. Fair—Rosbrook Hall.

NEW CORN HUSKING

RECORD IS MADE Geneseo, Nov. 18.—Claimants of corn husking championships were given a jolt by Gus L. Miller of Geneseo, who demands the title on his record of 201 bushels and 10 pounds in eight hours and 45 minutes.

MRS. LENA WALLACE GIVEN INJUNCTION

RESTRAINING HUSBAND FROM SELLING PROPERTY OR INTERFERING.

A NEW TRIAL IN ROBERTS CASE

Order Issued, However, Granting Privilege of Taking Case to Higher Court.

In the circuit court this morning Judge Farrand granted the prayer of Mrs. Lena Wallace that a bill of injunction be issued against her husband, Howard Wallace, restraining him from selling any of the personal property or from interfering in any way with her and her child.

The Judge listened to arguments for a new trial in the C. S. Roberts vs. Henry Roberts estate case, and overruled the motion. However, he issued orders for an appeal, whereby the case can be taken to the higher court within 90 days, providing the bond of \$100 is approved within 40 days.

C. M. CAMPBELL FUNERAL TUESDAY

SERVICES FROM HOME OF SON IN CHICAGO; BURIAL AT GREENWOOD.

The funeral of the late C. M. Campbell, who died yesterday morning at St. Petersburg, Fla., will be held in Chicago Tuesday afternoon, according to messages sent here by the son, Geo. Campbell of Dixon, who is in the southern summer resort with his grief stricken mother.

The services will be from the home of Frank Campbell, the only other child, at 1827 E. 72nd street, Chicago, and interment will take place at Greenwood cemetery. Mrs. George Campbell and children left this morning for Chicago. The remains of Mr. Campbell will arrive in Chicago on Tuesday morning.

Geo. Campbell will be unable to be in Chicago because of the poor health of his mother, and the physician in charge has recommended that she not be allowed to come north at present.

The funeral will probably be in charge of the Masonic order, as Mr. Campbell was a Mason of high degree in the Pullman lodge.

MRS. JACOB MEYERS OF MYRON DIES

HAS BEEN LIVING WITH DAUGHTER, MRS. GERDES, FOR PAST TEN YEARS.

Mrs. Elizabeth Meyers died Friday at 10 a. m. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ben Gerdes, in Marion township about ten and a half miles from Dixon, on the Amboy-Sterling road. Mrs. Meyers was born June 25, 1867, making her 48 years old at the time of death.

Germany was her birth place, but she came to America about 26 years ago and lived on a farm near Mionok Ten years ago she came to live with her daughter near Harmon. Her husband, Jacob Meyers, has been dead many years.

There are two sons, M. Meyers of Lyndon and Ed. of Sands Station, both in Whiteside county, and one daughter, Mrs. Gerdes.

Rev. Drexel of this city will have charge of the funeral services on Monday at 12 o'clock, from the home of the daughter in Marion township. Interment will take place in Harmon cemetery.

SENIORS VICTORIOUS.

The senior basketball team of the Dixon high school yesterday afternoon defeated the junior class team in the first inter-class game at the high school gym after school hours. The score was 17 to 14 and the game was exciting for the class members who lined each side cheering their teams. Secretary Bally of the Y. refereed the game.

PACKERS LOSE POINT IN TRIAL

JUDGE KOHLSAAT QUASHES A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Special Judge Kohlsaat quashed the writ of habeas corpus granted the packers Tuesday and decided the circuit court could not take jurisdiction in the case with the criminal trial pending in the district court.

This decision is a victory for the government and clears the way for action in the packers' trial before Judge Carpenter Monday.

WILL GIVE CANTATA SUNDAY EVENING

ELABORATE MUSICAL PROGRAM BEING PREPARED BY THE METHODIST CHOR.

The cantata entitled "The Prodigal Son" is to be sung by a choir of forty voices at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30.

This is the most elaborate musical program given in this church for a long time.

The cantata will be preceded by a brief illustrated talk on the subject by the pastor, Rev. Fred D. Stone. The public is cordially invited.

ROOTERS ACCOMPANIED TEAM TO CHICAGO

DIXON COLLEGE HOPES TO WIN FROM LOYOLA COLLEGE TEAM TODAY.

Twenty-five Dixon people and students of the Dixon college, accompanied the college football team to Chicago this morning, where the local pigskin hunters will meet the Loyola college eleven this afternoon. The Dixon team was reported to be in better condition than at any time this year, by the captain, as his men boarded the train and he expects the team to return home with the bacon. Several new plays have been perfected, the men are confident and the rooters who accompanied the team will do their part, too.

PALMYRA WILD CAT WAS AN ANGORA

SHOOTING OF CAT WAS MISTAKEN IDENTITY—MRS. SCOTT MOURNS FOR PET.

It now develops that there are no wild cats in Palmyra township, as formerly reported, but that the report was the result of a case of mistaken identity. The "wild cat" shot on the Gus Lord farm early in the week was a large pet Angora, property of Mrs. James Scott, and she feels the loss of the animal greatly, as it was a valuable cat and a household favorite.

PIPE OF PEACE FOR CONGRESSMAN MCKENZIE

The venerable Franc Myers of Jordan has made two pipes, resembling the pipe of peace that Black Hawk smoked and one of them was presented to Congressman McKenzie and the other to John H. Buyers, secretary to the congressman. The pipes were carved from hedgeswood, and are a neat piece of work. Mr. Myers is over eighty years of age.

—Sterling Gazette.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Generally fair today and tomorrow; some what colder; brisk northwest winds.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

AUDITED BILLS The board of education of the Dixon schools held their regular meeting last evening when the only important business was auditing and paying bills.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

Rockford, Nov. 18.—The 4 months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scott died of burns Thursday night when the go-cart in which the child was seated rolled against the stove.

FAMOUS ROAD EXPERT SPENDS DAY HERE

NORMAN E. MACK

National Democratic Chairman Sees Roosevelt as Candidate.



PRICE OF SPUDS TO GO HIGHER

SEEMS TO BE A SCARCITY OF POTATOES IN THE MARKET.

The prediction made by local grocers several weeks ago that the price of potatoes was going to reach a record price this winter, is being substantiated by the recent advance in the price of spuds. A record price was reached in Chicago when 15 carloads of the food sold at wholesale at 80 cents per bushel. They were grabbed up in a hurry by commission men and the morning papers are authority for the statement that the supply is not sufficient. Locally the predicted price was reached yesterday. A neighboring farmer reports that he received an offer of \$1 per bushel from a Sterling firm, and the prospective purchaser offered to come and get the potatoes. Those who have secured their winter's supply of potatoes are congratulating themselves.

NORTH SIDE CHURCH MEETINGS CONTINUE

E. T. BAILEY SPOKE LAST EVENING—MALE CHORUS SUNDAY EVENING.

A splendid audience greeted E. T. Bailey at the North Side Evangelical church last evening and listened with rapt attention to his earnest gospel appeal. At the close a number requested prayers of the church and one definitely accepted God.

The vocal and musical solos as well as the male chorus were greatly enjoyed. The male chorus will sing again on Sunday evening and also on Wednesday evening, when Mr. Bailey has promised to speak again. As far as known now, meetings will continue over next week.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Latitude, 41 deg., 48 min., N. Longitude, 89 deg., 27 min., W 795 feet above sea level

Above data furnished by H. P. Spafford, assistant chief engineer of the Illinois Central Railroad Co.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours.

Monday	19	10
Tuesday	13	11
Wednesday	30	11
Thursday	32	22
Friday	31	17
Saturday	42	29
	43	29

ENTHUSES FARMERS AND OTHERS WITH IMPORTANCE OF GOOD ROADS.

SPEAKS AT THE CITY HALL

D. Ward King Describes Most Practical and Economical Way to Build Roads.

D. Ward King, the originator of the King split log road drag and the best authority in the country on the building and care of dirt roads, is here today and addressed a large gathering of farmers and citizens at the city hall this afternoon. The meeting is more in the form of a conference than an address, for the purpose of Mr. King's visit is to give the people just what information they may lack out of his storehouse of wisdom on road building.

While here Mr. King made a brief survey of the country roads and made many inquiries among the farmers who are in the city so that he would be in a position to give the information most needed. In this he has some very pertinent suggestions regarding Illinois roads and also described in detail the construction of the split log drag, which anyone can build and which while the simplest is at the same time the most effective road builder known. This information will be given in a report of his address in the Telegraph on Monday.

ICE TIES UP LAKE BOATS

Navigation Season Closes Earliest in 17 Years.

Ferries Are Forced Into Winter Quarters, While Snow Falls Fast in the North.

Superior, Wis., Nov. 18.—The thickness of ice in the Superior-Duluth harbor is such that the ferry boats have been compelled to lay up for the winter, the earliest for seventeen years. The ice is six inches thick.

All trains arriving at the head of the lakes are hours behind schedules as a result of a heavy snow storm. Desperate efforts are being made to keep the lines clear. The storm extends over the northern parts of Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota.

The fall of snow will be a great aid to thousands of hunters in the north woods.

SNOW COVERS COUNTRY

White Mantle Over Large Area West of Missouri River.

Omaha, Nov. 18.—The entire country between the Missouri river and Great Salt Lake and from the Kansas line to the Canadian boundary is covered with snow ranging from an inch to two feet in depth, with predictions for more snow in the western and northern portions of this district.

Snow began falling in the extreme west Wednesday night and at midnight Thursday the snow storm reached the Missouri river country. In eastern Nebraska scarcely an inch fell, but the fall was heavier farther west. Railroad traffic is not impeded, as the snow fall is not sufficiently heavy.

Thunder Storm and Freeze.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 18.—Following the downfall of sleet and snow, light sleighing started, the rural mail carriers going out from here all using runners. The unusual phenomenon of a thunder storm with the temperature below freezing was experienced here.

FREEMPORT SPEAKER

AT Y. TOMORROW

It is expected that the first men's meeting of the winter, to be held at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon, will be largely attended, as the speaker, A. L. Mayer of Freeport, is one of the most popular secretaries in the state.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

PAST AND PROSPECTIVE

An Announcement.

The Gift Shop is full of beautiful holiday gifts. It is impossible to enumerate them. We invite you to come early and avoid the Christmas rush. 68 36

BIRTHDAY HOROSCOPES.

NOV. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18.

Are of a fiery, persistent, determined nature, but you often get strangely cheated and taken advantage of. You are great at planning and scheming, but not always successful. You have musical ability. You despise technique. Have a deep intense leaning toward the mysterious and occult. Are a deep student of causation. You rarely get paid for what you do.

Kearfott-Drake

At the beautiful home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kearfott in Ravenswood, Ill., on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, occurred the ceremony which united in marriage the lives of Miss Mazy Kearfott and Charles A. Drake, son of Frederick Drake, of Dixon.

The home was handsomely decorated in chrysanthemums, ferns, and palms. The ceremony was performed in one of the parlors of the home, before an altar banked with green and pink and white chrysanthemums. Leading to the altar were two aisles roped off with flowers. To the strains of the wedding march played by Charles Gladfelder, one of the bride, the groom accompanied by two friends, as best men, approached the altar, and the bride approached through the other aisle, attended by her two bridesmaids. The young men attending Mr. Drake were Franklin Kearfott, brother of the bride, and Ed Ackert of Dixon. The bridesmaids were Misses Ethel Fisher and Katherine Gladfelder, and they were daintily dressed in pink satin and carried pink bridesmaid roses. The bride was charming in a white satin gown with an overdress of white lace and she carried white bridesmaid roses. The fact of the groom having two attendants was quite an innovation, and equally divided the wedding party. The four young people met at the altar where the ceremony making Miss Kearfott, and Charles Drake, husband and wife, was performed by Rev. T. F. Dornblaser, a former beloved pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church of this city. The expressive ring ceremony was used. After the ceremony which was witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives, a sumptuous three-course wedding dinner was served. The floral decorations in the dining room being most artistic. During the dinner sweet music was discoursed.

The bride and groom then quietly slipped away and are to enjoy a wedding tour in the south, visiting principal cities in Kentucky, and Florida. The groom was born and reared in Dixon and is a man highly esteemed who is making good in the business world. Three years ago he was given an excellent position with the Chicago Varnish Co., and is highly thought of by the firm as evidenced in the beautiful wedding gift presented by them in a handsome silver service set. Miss Kearfott a charming young woman, who has many friends in Ravenswood, her home. Mr. and Mrs. Drake will be at home at 2026 Wilson avenue, Ravenswood, in a few weeks. Among the Dixon guests were Ed Ackert, who was one of the bridal party, and Henry Schmidt, Jr., whose wife is a sister to Mr. Drake.

G. A. R. Circle.

The ladies of the G. A. R. Circle will hold their regular meeting on Monday, Nov. 20th, at the G. A. R. hall. All members are requested to be present.

Drove to Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Crawford and children drove to Oregon Sunday in their auto and on their return dined at the Sheffield for supper.

Dinner Guest.

Mrs. Gill of Belvidere was a dinner guest of Miss Young at the Nachusa House on Friday night.

Military Euchre.

St. Agnes' Guild will on the first of December give an evening military euchre party at the residence of Mrs. Douglas Harvey, who is a member of the Guild.

Reception Today.

Mrs. C. C. Hunt and Miss Hunt entertained with a reception at the Hunt residence today.

Bazar Closes Tonight.

St. Patrick's annual bazar, which has been the source of great enjoyment to big crowds at Rosbrook hall this week, will close tonight and it is expected the crowd will be the largest of the week. An exceptionally large Friday night crowd enjoyed the festivities last night and the dance floor was crowded with merry-makers. The Victrola concert by J. E. Moyer previous to the dancing, was also greatly enjoyed. Dancing will commence promptly at 8:30 tonight.

Week End Party.

Miss Mary Hintz of Brookside farm is entertaining with a week end party. Her guests are Misses Gladys Smith, Olive Ashby, Hazel Kenneth and Ora Floto.

New Club Met.

The Pradew club, a new organization, purely social, in this city, had its first meeting last evening at the home of Miss Ruth Dysart. The members attending enjoyed an especially pleasant evening.

Pleasing Recital.

The recital given by the intermediate music pupils of Prof. Strong's College of Music on Thursday evening, was well attended and the pupils gave evidence of much progress. The latter part of the evening was spent in games, and formed a theatre party and witnessed the bill at the Family theatre.

Lady Foresters Card Party.

Ladies and gentlemen to the number of 75 attended the card party given by the Lady Foresters in Rosbrook hall on Thursday afternoon. The prizes were won by Mrs. Mrs. Dornan, who won the head prize, being one of the six who cut for it. Mrs. Enright won the second prize. Appetizing refreshments were served. The Lady Foresters were also much pleased with the sale of aprons and fancy work.

Tea Club.

The Tea club will meet next week with Mrs. E. N. Howell.

Luncheon Friday.

Mrs. C. L. Gill was entertained at the home of Mrs. Chas. Chandler at luncheon Friday.

F. S. O. Club.

The S. F. O. club was entertained this afternoon by Miss Eunice Laing at her home.

For Dr. and Mrs. Cryor.

The Mission Study band of the Presbyterian church was entertained on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. W. T. Greig, the guests of honor for the evening being Dr. and Mrs. Cryor and family, who are soon to leave for their new home in Oregon where Dr. Cryor has accepted a call to the pastorate there. A fine scramble supper was one of the pleasing features of the evening. In the presentation to Dr. and Mrs. Cryor of a handsome golden oak rocker, the members of Mission band sought to convey in this way some of the love and esteem they hold for them. There is much regret over the removal of Dr. and Mrs. Cryor, and their family from Dixon and the Presbyterian pastorate here, and Oregon is to be congratulated upon the acquisition of these good people to their city.

O. E. S. Parlor Club.

The O. E. S. Parlor club will be entertained Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Woodburn, 410 Dixon avenue, instead of at Masonic hall as previously announced.

With Bridge.

Mrs. Elma Musick is entertaining this evening with bridge.

Entertained Last Evening.

Miss Eva Bates, Ralph Bates and Fred Earl were delightfully entertained last evening by Miss Bernice Morgan at her home. Various games were the amusements, a fortune telling game being the favorite. Delicious refreshments were served and a happy evening resulted for all.

Chicken Supper.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's Lutheran church entertained the choir of the church and escorts, or friends of the members at supper in the church last evening, delicious chicken cooked as the Lutheran la-

dies know how, and all the appurtenances thereto forming the menu. A delightful evening was enjoyed.

Misses Talty Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Talty and Miss Hazel Goodman of Sterling, Miss Grace Hackett of Chicago and Gene Talty were entertained at dinner last evening at the Talty home and afterward formed a party attending the bazar.

Reception for Dr. Cryor.

There will be a public reception for Dr. S. S. Cryor and family Thursday evening, the 23rd, at the Presbyterian church, to which all friends are invited.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

Emmett & Co. will be one of the vaudeville acts this evening and Hamilton Bros., acrobats and comedians, will be the other act. Both acts are good and will doubtless draw big crowds. The pictures change nightly and at the matinee Saturday which the children much enjoy. The pictures last evening are reported excellent and will be fine tonight and tomorrow night.

FOREIGNERS LEAVE MEXICO

Federal Troops Rushing to Various Points to Combat Uprising.

Eagle Pass, Tex., Nov. 18.—An exodus of Americans and other foreigners is now taking place. The passenger trains arriving at Rio Grande border points were crowded with the refugees. The report that another revolution is imminent has caused intense excitement among the people. Federal troops are being rushed to several places in the states of Tamaulipas, Nuevo Leon and Coahuila, where it is reported uprisings of adherents of General Reyes are scheduled to take place within the next few days.

Look for Violations of Neutrality.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Brigadier General Jose W. Duncan, U. S. A., commanding the department of Texas, has been asked by the war department to report any alleged violations of the neutrality laws along the Mexican border.



EMMET & EMMET.

New Act at the Family Theatre Tonight.

OUR WAY IS REAL PLEASURE

to you in getting relief from those awful throbbing headaches. Yes, and that stomach distress and we know will go with them. I have a message for you.

Sick stomachs can not digest food any easier than sick women can do their work. Neither can another stomach make food into blood for you!

Nature has her own way of changing food into blood and only by her help can you grow strong. Buoyant health is the charm of Beauty.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE
Neurologist and Health Instructor
233 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Ill.



MR. BERNARD GRANVILLE AND FOUR DANCING GIRLS IN THE SEASON'S SUCCESS "LOUISIANA LOU" AT LASALLE OPERA HOUSE, CHICAGO.

CITY IN BRIEF

Mrs. C. L. Gill will leave on Sunday for her home in Belvidere after a two weeks' visit in this city. Mrs. Gill has hosts of friends who again regret her departure.

Dr. Finney will be here Thanksgiving for a short visit, after which he and his wife will go to California for the winter.

Mrs. Z. W. Moss will go to Chicago next week for a short visit.

H. U. Bardwell will return from the south today.

Mrs. Daniel Schuck of Palmyra spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Daniel Knapp, of this city.

Miss Barge has returned from Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Downing continues to improve each day and will probably be able to sit up in a week's time.

Will some of the readers of the Telegraph send us a holiday greeting in the way of paying up their subscription?

Mrs. Elmer Lower of Rochelle is here for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odenthal. Her husband accompanied her to Dixon and will return this evening.

Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook and daughter Mary of Seldom Inn called in Dixon today.

J. M. McCleary is one of the committee of supervisors and commissioners in East Grove township today inspecting bridges. Merton Squires is filling Mr. McCleary's place at the O. H. Brown store today.

Miss Anna Hennessy is here from her school in Sublette today to spend Sunday with relatives.

Miss Katherine Hennessy and Mrs. Ed Valle went to Chicago this morning.

John Kelly and Mr. Fletcher went hunting today.

Mrs. Emma Hanlon is assisting at the O. H. Martin store today.

Misses Anna and Sarah Davlin, who have been visiting in Beloit, have returned home.

Mrs. Theresa Tebbetts is ill at the Nachusa House.

Mrs. Edward Cahill, who has been a patient at the hospital, was taken today to her home on Hennepin avenue.

Miss Mary Dauntler has gone to Polo for an over Sunday visit with relatives.

CAN'T CURE CATARRH

Stomach Dosing, Sprays and Douches Have All Failed

There is only one way to cure catarrh.

Reach the raw, tender, inflamed membrane that is infected with catarrh germs, and destroy the germs.

You can't reach the nooks and crevices with liquid preparations—there is only one way—breathe the antiseptic germ killing air of HY-OMEI pronounce it High-o-mei) directly over the infected parts.

HYOMEI contains no opium, cocaine or other harmful drugs, it is made of Australian eucalyptus. It is guaranteed to end the misery of catarrh, asthma, croup and bronchitis, or money back.

Ask Rowland Bros. about the HY-OMEI outfit today. They sell it for only \$1.00 and guarantee it.

FORMER DIXON MAN

DIED IN WEST

Brief word is received of the death last week in Los Angeles of Mr. Fritz formerly of South Dixon. He was related to the Lindemans, Sennetts and a number of other families in Dixon.

DAUGHTER BORN

Word is received in Dixon of the arrival of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Switzer in Council, Idaho.

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DEMENTTOWN

Got your winter's spuds yet? Mrs. srs. Valle & McIntyre are having a lot of enjoyment out of that question for several weeks ago when they 60 cents per for theirs, a lot of the smart alecs on the ave. kidded 'em. The potato bug is on the other fellow now, however, since the price has advanced, and V. & M. have as a result of their insistence with the above query, been threatened with violent extinction several times.

A new use has been discovered for whiskers. They take the place of a necktie.

Going to buy any X-mas presents this year? If you have any undertaker friends you wish to remember we know where some excellent berry sets can be bought very reasonably.

Domestic science, in our humble opinion, consists of the art of making hash out of the left over meat, and croquettes out of the left over hash. Try this on your gas range.

Siebolt's dog Jeff is reported to be the laziest dog in the world. He sat down on a sandburr yesterday and then commenced to howl and he continued to howl until S. came and lifted him off the aforesaid implement of torture, to-wit: said sandburr. He was too durned lazy to get off of it himself.

Jeemse Allen, whose wife recently went visiting, received a letter from her this morning which has given him much cause for study and one he can't altogether dope out. The letter reads: "Baby is well and lots brighter than she used to be. Hoping you are the same, etc."

The Maxim gun "Silencer" was probably invented to meet the desire of the many people who express such desires in sign boards hung all over

their farms: No Shooting Allowed. W. J. Kennedy is some financier. He recently offered to help a friend sell a book of chances on a horse being raffled off. And Billy sure thought he was the real ticket seller for people came to him and asked for them. He couldn't quite understand the anxiety on the part of the customers, but he got wise when he had to dig up an extra quarter for every ticket he had sold. The tickets were to sell at 50c and Willyum gave 'em away for 25c.

Strange how Polo people can come to, Dixon and get lost, isn't it? Now there's Joe Gavin, for instance. Took a lady friend to dinner yesterday and instead of turning in at the Manhattan he tried to butt into the room just one door north. Or could that have been habit? We are c2k.

George Aschenbrenner has devised a scheme to use partially charged seltzer bottles. He gives his customers shower baths with them. Great little idea, Biltz.

Short on the Order.

Ed Zoeller recently received an order from an Amboy woman for a water color outfit and accordingly he sent the works, including printed instructions for its use. These directions included, among other things, instructions to moisten the brushes for the first time with saliva. This morning Ed got this letter:

"Dear Sir—The outfit is complete as ordered, except the saliva. Yours, etc.

Help to the Helpless.

He is a traveling man and therefore didn't know much of the geography of Dixon so when the young lady he had accompanied home from the bazaar last night told him to follow the street car tracks to get to his hotel, he knew he'd have to do it or not get there, as it was late. He approached the First street arch and immediately began to think that would be an excellent place for a hold-up. Of course such things made him nervous and he grew frigid with fright when turning the angle in the walk he saw a man's head bob out on the other side of the arch. The traveling man quickly drew back. But how was he going to get by? He peeked again. Again the man's head bobbed out. This stranger was up against it. He couldn't climb over that arch, there was no way to go around and if he left the street and the car tracks he'd never get to his hotel. So he took to the middle of the street, got a good breath and started through the arch at a mile a minute clip. Suddenly his heart stopped beating and the blood froze in his feet. The man on the other side called: "Shay, pard, I'm drunk as ze dickens. Zyou know where I am?"

Podunk School Notes.

My dad told me yesterday I orter be glad to go to school and them is a feller's happiest days. I suppose he thinks that cause the teacher user make him sit beside a girl for punishment. Teachers don't know as much nowadays as they uster.

John Bilkens wrote the following short story the other day: "Us boys all love our teacher." Teacher kept him after school, and he says she told him he was a good story writer.

Lillie Higging got kept after school for a bum sentence she wrote when the teacher told her to use the word "pendulum." Lillie wrote "The lightning was invented by Penjulum Franklin."

MURDERED MEXICAN

FOUND IN DAVENPORT

Davenport, Ia., Nov. 18—Jesse Kasewas, a Mexican, was found lying dead in the hallway of a boarding house Friday. He had been slain with a knife.

A half-brother of Kasewas and a woman by the name of Carrie Baratis, a boarder at the house where the body was found, are being held to testify at the coroner's inquest.

BURNING DAYLIGHT

By JACK LONDON

Author of "The Call of the Wild," "White Fang," "Martin Eden," etc.

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The domestic cat that had gone wild and that preyed on his pigeons, he found, by the comparative standard, to be of no less paramount menace than a Charles Klinkner in the field of finance, trying to raid him for several millions. The hawks and weasels and 'coons were so many Dowsetts, Lettons, and Guggenhamers that struck at him secretly. The sea of wild vegetation that tossed its surf against the boundaries of all his clearings and that sometimes crept in and flooded in a single week was no mean enemy to contend with and subdue. His fat-solled vegetable garden in the nook of hills that failed of its best was a problem of engrossing importance, and when he had solved it by putting in drain tiles, the joy of the achievement was ever with him. He never worked in it and found the soil unpacked and tractable without experiencing the thrill of accomplishment.

There was the matter of the plumbing. He was enabled to purchase the materials through a lucky sale of a number of his hair brushes. The work he did himself, though more than once he was forced to call in Dede to hold tight with a pipe-wrench. And in the end, when the bath-tub and the stationary tubs were installed and in working order, he could scarcely tear himself away from the contemplation of what his hands had wrought. The first evening, missing him, Dede sought and found him, lamp in hand, staring with silent glee at the tubs. He rubbed his hand over their smooth wooden lips and laughed aloud, and was as shame-faced as any boy when she caught him thus secretly exulting in his own prowess.

It was this adventure in wood-working and plumbing that brought about the building of the little workshop, where he slowly gathered a collection of loved tools. And he, who in the old days, out of his millions, could purchase immediately whatever he might desire, learned the new joy of the possession that follows upon rigid economy and desire long delayed. He waited three months before daring the extravagance of a Yankee screw-driver, and his glee in the marvelous little mechanism was so keen that Dede conceived forthright a great idea. For six months she saved her egg-money, which was hers by right of allotment, and on his birthday presented him with a turning-lathe of wonderful simplicity and multifarious efficiencies. And their mutual delight in the lathe, which was his, was only equalled by their delight in Mab's first foal, which was Dede's special private property.

Daylight had made no assertion of total abstinence, though he had not taken a drink for months after the



"Dear Elam," She Whispered, "Dear Elam."

day he resolved to let his business go to smash. Soon he proved himself strong enough to dare to take a drink without taking a second. On the other hand, with his coming to live in the country, had passed all desire and need for drink. He felt no yearning for it, and even forgot that it existed. Yet he refused to be afraid of it, and in town, on occasion, when invited by the storekeeper, would reply: "All right, son. If my taking a drink will make you happy, here goes. Whisky for mine."

But such a drink begat no desire for a second. It made no impression. He was too profoundly strong to be affected by a thimbleful. As he had prophesied to Dede, Burning Daylight, the city financier, had died a quick death on the ranch, and his younger brother, the Daylight from Alaska, had taken his place. The threatened inundation of fat had subsided, and all his old-time Indian leanness and litherness of muscle had returned. So, likewise, did the old slight hollows in his cheeks come back. For him they indicated the pink of physical condition. He became the acknowledged strong man of Sonoma Valley, the heaviest lifter and hardest winded among a husky race of farmer folk.

At first, when in need of ready cash, he had followed Ferguson's example of working at day's labor; but he was not long in gravitating to a form of work that was more stimulating and more satisfying, and that allowed him even more time for Dede and the

ranch and the perpetual riding through the hills. Having been challenged by the blacksmith, in a spirit of banter, to attempt the breaking of a certain incorrigible colt, he succeeded so signally as to earn quite a reputation as a horse-breaker. And soon he was able to earn whatever money he desired at this, to him, agreeable work. His life was eminently wholesome and natural. Early to bed, he slept like an infant and was up with the dawn. Always with something to do, and with a thousand little things that enticed but did not clamor, he was himself never overdone. Nevertheless, there were times when both he and Dede were not above confessing tiredness at bedtime after seventy or eighty miles in the saddle. Sometimes, when he had accumulated a little money, and when the season favored, they would mount their horses, with saddle-bags behind, and ride away over the wall of the valley and down into the other valleys.

One day, stopping to mail a letter at the Glen Ellen postoffice, they were hailed by the blacksmith.

"Say, Daylight," he said, "a young fellow named Slosson sends you his regards. He came through in an auto on the way to Santa Rosa. He wanted to know if you didn't live hereabouts, but the crowd with him was in a hurry. So he sent you his regards and said to tell you he'd taken your advice and was still going on breaking his own record."

Daylight had long since told Dede of the incident.

"Slosson?" he meditated, "Slosson? That must be the hammer-thrower. He put my hand down twice, the



"Say," He Called Out, "I'd Like to Tackle You Again."

young scamp." He turned suddenly to Dede. "Say, it's only twelve miles to Santa Rosa, and the horses are fresh."

She divined what was in his mind, of which his twinkling eyes and sheepish, boyish grin gave sufficient advertisement, and she smiled and nodded acquiescence.

"We'll cut across by Bennett Valley," he said. "It's nearer that way."

There was little difficulty, once in Santa Rosa, of finding Slosson. He and his party had registered at the Oberlin Hotel, and Daylight encountered the young hammer-thrower himself in the office.

"Look here, son," Daylight announced, as soon as he had introduced Dede, "I've come to go you another flutter at that hand game. Here's a likely place."

Slosson smiled and accepted. The two men faced each other, the elbows of their right arms on the counter, the hands clasped. Slosson's hand quickly forced backward and down.

"You're the first man that ever succeeded in doing it," he said. "Let's try it again."

"Sure," Daylight answered. "And don't forget, son, that you're the first man that put mine down. That's why I lit out after you today."

Again they clasped hands, and again Slosson's hand went down. He was a broad-shouldered, heavy-muscled young giant, at least half a head taller than Daylight, and he frankly expressed his chagrin and asked for a third trial. This time he stole himself to the effort, and for a moment the issue was in doubt. With flushed face and set teeth he met the other's strength till his crackling muscles failed him. The air exploded sharply from his tensed lungs, as he relaxed in surrender, and the hand dropped limply down.

"You're too many for me," he confessed. "I only hope you'll keep out of the hammer-throwing game."

Daylight laughed and shook his head.

"We might compromise, and each stay in his own class. You stick to hammer-throwing, and I'll go on turning down hands."

But Slosson refused to accept defeat.

"Say," he called out, as Daylight and Dede, astride their horses, were preparing to depart. "Say—do you mind if I look you up next year? I'd like to tackle you again."

"Sure, son. You're welcome to a flutter any time. Though I give you fair warning that you'll have to go some. You'll have to train up, for I'm plowing and chopping wood and breaking colts these days."

Now and again, on the way home, Dede could hear her big boy-husband chuckling gleefully. As they halted their horses on the top of the divide

out of Bennett Valley, in order to watch the sunset, he ranged alongside and slipped his arm around her waist. "Little woman," he said, "you're sure your liable for it all. And I leave it to you, if all the money in creation is worth as much as one arm like that when it's got a little little woman like this to go around."

Daylight's steadfast contention was that his wife should not become cook, waitress, and chambermaid because she did not happen to possess a household of servants. On the other hand, chafing-dish suppers in the big living-room for their camping guests were a common happening, at which times Daylight allotted them their chores and saw that they were performed. For one who stopped only for the night it was different. Likewise it was different with her brother, back from Germany, and again able to sit a horse. On his vacations he became the third in the family, and to him was given the building of the fires, the sweeping, and the washing of the dishes.

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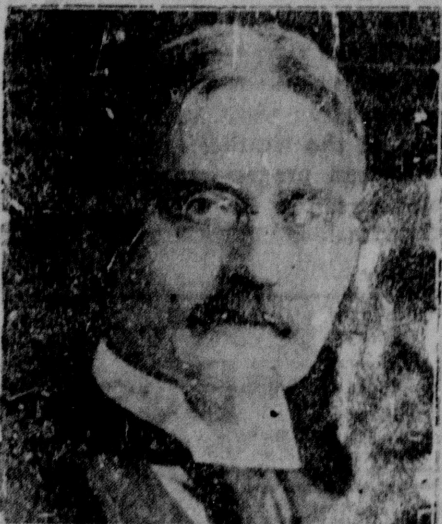
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President Jefferson Davis, who had formally been elected permanent president of the Confederate states on the 6th inst. by popular vote, presented his first message to congress. He said the south could resist the north indefinitely.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

Thomas Stevens, the bicycle traveler, who started on a world tour at San Francisco, April, 1884, reached Shanghai, having covered 12,000 miles on his wheel. Chester Alan Arthur, twenty-first president of the United States, died in New York; born 1829.

HEALTH HINT FOR TODAY.

After a Rescue From Drowning.

The first thing to do when a drowning person is rescued from the water is to loosen the clothing worn and to make spectators stand back so as to give the patient fresh air. Empty the lungs of water by laying the person on the stomach and lifting by the middle so that head hangs down. Pull the tongue forward so that it does not choke the patient by clinging to the throat, and, if necessary, tie it with a handkerchief and hold it. Now imitate the motions of breathing by alternately compressing and expanding the lower ribs, doing this about twenty times a minute (the normal respiration is about eighteen a minute). The lungs may be stimulated also by alternately raising and lowering the arms from the sides to above the head. Do this without violence, but persistently, and apply warmth and friction to the extremities. As a last resource you can directly inflate the patient's lungs from your own. Hold the tongue forward, as before; close the nostrils and press back the Adam's apple, so as to close the entrance to the stomach. Then take a deep breath and expire it forcibly into the mouth of the patient and compress chest to expel the air. Repeat this action until normal breathing is re-established.

The Last Gladiators.

It was in A. D. 430 that the edict was passed which forever abolished the gladiatorial combats. In the deserts of Libya there lived a monk named Telemachus, who, touched by the cruel stories of the combats, went to Rome, leaped over the barrier of the arena of the Coliseum, threw himself between the groups of fighters and implored them in the name of Christ to desist. Telemachus fell, slain by the swords of the gladiators, but there never was another fight in the Coliseum. The spirit of the monk had its effect, and the above mentioned edict was soon passed.

SECURES PATENT ON VALUABLE DEVICE

C. W. RABBIT OF AMBOY HAS PERFECTED WIRELESS CHECKROWER.

C. W. Rabbit of Amboy has recently secured the patent for a valuable invention on which he has been at work for some time and which he rested out to his own satisfaction during the past summer, says the Amboy News. It is a checkrowing attachment for corn planters, which is intended to do away with the use of a wire. The device is a very simple one and he says that it plants closer than the wire system planter. He tested it last summer on the John McElroy farm southwest of town and found that was entirely practical not only for planting level ground but also for planting across ditches and around trees. He is convinced that a corn planter with this attachment can be manufactured at less cost than the one with the wire attachment and that it will do the work more satisfactorily.

There has been a long standing demand for some practical device of this kind and one implement manufacturing concern is said to have expended \$100,000 in experiments on that line. Mr. Rabbit has applied for several foreign patents, and if his invention proves equal to all tests, it looks as if his fortune was made. He has already received offers from a number of manufacturing companies that want to buy the patent and manufacturing rights.

SUGAR GROVE SCHOOL GIVEN DIPLOMA

IS FIFTH SCHOOL IN COUNTY TO MEET REQUIREMENTS FOR STATE DIPLOMA.

The Sugar Grove school, district No. 2, Palmyra, Mrs. Gertrude E. Russell, teacher, has complied with all requirements of the state superintendent's office and has been granted a state diploma for standard one-room schools, the diploma being issued today. This is the fifth school in Lee county that has qualified in this respect this fall and Prof. Miller says that there are at least 15 others who have determined to reach the required standard this term.

NOYES OUT FOR CONGRESS.

Kewanee, Nov. 18.—The nomination of James E. Noyes of Bradford at the republican primaries for representative from the seventh legislative district is the object of the movement which was undertaken Thursday in Stark county.

ELKS' BUILDING IS

NOW UNDER COVER.

The Elks' club building is under cover. In a remarkably short time Contractor Greig has erected the walls of the building and the sheeting of the roof was completed today. By making such good headway the construction work is now out of the way of the weather and the interior work can progress regardless of the elements.

SPRINGFIELD TO HAVE \$100,000 Y. W. C. A.

TEAM OF BUSINESS GIRLS ACTIVE IN RAISING FUNDS FOR THEIR BUILDING.

Springfield, Nov. 18.—With more than \$60,000 subscribed for the new Young Women's Christian association \$100,000 building fund, officers of the association are preparing today to turn Springfield into a hive of Y. W. C. A. enthusiasts.

An attempt will be made to secure the remainder sought for the new building. Last night closed the campaign as originally set for raising the money.

Subscribers to the project include Governor and Mrs. Deneen, who in supplementing \$1,000 raised by a team of business girls gave their check for \$250.

MEN'S CLUB WILL BANQUET THURSDAY

HOWARD H. GROSS, PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL SOIL FERTILITY LEAGUE TO SPEAK.

The next monthly banquet of the men's club of the Y. M. C. A. will be held Thursday evening, Nov. 23rd. The banquet will be at 6:30 and the speaker will be Howard H. Gross, president of the National Soil Fertility league. This league is organized under the laws of Illinois and the advisory committee has among its members James J. Hill of St. Paul, President Taft, Champ Clark, W. J. Bryan and others equally important in their various fields. It is impossible to exaggerate the importance of this subject and it is hoped every member of the men's club will hear this address.

The general theme for the meetings this year is "Conservation." The subject will be considered in its various applications to human life, and for this month it is the conservation of the soil.

RAINS FLOOD TRIPOLI

Italians and Turks Both Hampered by the Downpour.

London, Nov. 18.—There are many belated reports from Tripoli, but the one important happening seems to be the continued semitropical rain and the consequent flooding of trenches. At Boumelhena wells have been swept away and a lake formed around the water works.

It is estimated that both the Italian and Turkish forces are greatly hampered. Cannon sniping seems to be the only form of fighting at present taking place. The censorship is more rigid than ever.

Yezraf Bey announces the impending arrival there of the Sheikh of Saussis to stir up the Arabs.

Frightened Child Stands 30 Hours.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 18.—Hilda Gunderson, seven years old, stood up in a dark closet thirty hours because she was afraid to go to school without an excuse for absence. Her mother found the child wedged in among the hanging clothes fast asleep, wearing her hat and with her books under her arm.

CHARGE UNITED STATES DODGES

Packers' Attorneys Score Government's Tactics.

EVASION OF ISSUE ALLEGED

Levy Mayer Says Government Seeks Delay to Swing Club Over Business Men and Obstructs Plan for Quick Decision.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Judge C. C. Kohlhaas has practically overruled the government's motion to quash the habeas corpus writ obtained by the indicted packers in their battle for immunity. When court adjourned at the end of the day's battling Judge Kohlhaas was of the opinion that the issuance of the writ was justifiable.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Charges that the government is attempting to delay rather than facilitate the final disposition of the important issues in the packers' cases were hurled in picturesque simile and metaphor by Levy Mayer of counsel for the habeas corpus petitioners in Judge Kohlhaas's courtroom in the federal building.

The lawyer's arraignment of the government's legal forces was a part of his address to the court in which he vigorously denied that the petitioners wished to delay the cases against the packers for any purpose. He declared that the government wished to obstruct the progress of the cases toward a speedy conclusion that it might continue to "wield the club of Hercules to the terror of merchants and manufacturers of the country."

Attorney Mayer concluded this portion of his address with a plea to the federal attorneys to join hands with the packers and get the case speedily before the supreme court for an adjudication of the chief issue—the constitutionality of the criminal section of the Sherman law. The packers' lawyers also argued that the "surrender" of the nine defendants into custody was actually a surrender and strictly according to law.

Attorney Miller attempted to riddle the contentions of government attorneys, denying in full the statement that the United States court had been imposed upon by granting the temporary habeas corpus writ to the packers. He and Attorney Sheehan clashed in arguing the question of custody and return of bail, each citing a number of cases.

DEMOCRATS TO VISIT FARGO

Jan. 17 and 18 Dates Set for Big Gathering—Hermion Will Attend.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 18.—A notable gathering of northwestern and other Democrats will be held here on Jan. 17 and 18, which will be attended by some of the party leaders, including at least one prospective presidential candidate.

Chairman MacArthur of the Democratic state central committee said a telegram had been received from Governor Harmon of Ohio stating that he will be present. William J. Bryan has stated that he will make every effort to attend. Former Governor Folk of Missouri, Governor Norris of Montana, Martin J. Wade of Iowa, J. B. Sullivan of Iowa, and Former Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota are some of the men who will speak.

UNION CHIEFS ARE SLUGGED

Three Men Attack Men Who Organized Toledo Street Car Men.

Toledo, O., Nov. 18.—Ezra Orr, of Detroit, secretary treasurer of the International Association of Street Railway Employees, and John J. Scannell, international officer of the boot and shoe workers' union, who recently organized a union of street car employees in this city, were assaulted by three men while on the way to their hotel.

Orr was severely cut about the head and face. Scannell's injuries are less serious. One arrest was made.

DRIFTS TO SLAYER'S DOOR

Corpse of Victim Floats Across Escanaba Bay to Assassin's Door.

Escanaba, Mich., Nov. 18.—By a freak of fortune the body of Albert Fogarty, alleged to have been killed in Escanaba by Arthur Lindquist Oct. 18 last, floated directly across the bay to the door of the alleged slayer's home.

The body was discovered floating in the bay and Lindquist was arrested. He confessed the murder.

BURIED ALIVE; IS RESCUED

Workmen Save Man Who Is Caught by Cave-in at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 18.—After being buried alive twenty minutes under several tons of clay Neil Thomas, a laborer of Kansas City, Kan., was rescued by fellow workmen.

Thomas was working in a deep trench when the earth caved in over him. A ladder fell across his body and kept the weight of the avalanche from crushing him.

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FIVE ON McNAMARA JURY

Both Sides in Los Angeles Trial Begin Peremptory Challenges.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 18.—Two more jurors, making five in all, were sworn in in the McNamara trial. They are J. B. Sexton, a retired farmer, and William J. Andre, a nonunion carpenter.

Three jurors were challenged peremptorily by the state and the defense challenged four, leaving six in the box. The defense had eleven peremptory challenges left and the state five.

HARVESTER-U. S. DEAL HALTS

Attorney General Stops Negotiations for Dissolution of Combine.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The next move for voluntary disintegration of the International Harvester company rests with the corporation.

Negotiations between the department of justice and the company have been suspended, pending the latter's action on the department's objections to the plan of dissolution submitted.

Appeals to Taft.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Mrs. E. S. Hollingsworth of Augusta, Ga., has appealed to President Taft to save Tallulah Falls from destruction by the erection of a power plant.

No Chewing Gum for Sailors.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The sale of chewing gum at ships' stores has been prohibited by order of Acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop.

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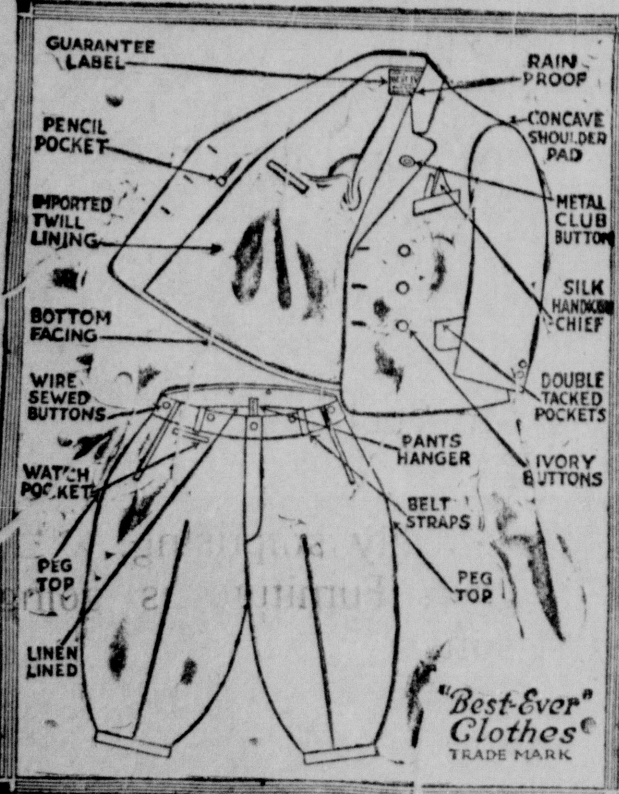
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LIME TREATMENT FOR ACID SOILS

PRACTICE IS FAST COMING INTO
USE BY ALL THE
FARMERS

SHOWS IMMEDIATE RESULTS

Use Vastly Justifies the Trouble and
Expense and Corrects Faults
Of Soil

The practice of liming soils is fast coming into use by all farmers, but especially by those whose lands are subject to washing or have been "made thin," by a long period of farming, says F. M. Simpson of Vienna, Ill.

Crops Small and Still Decreasing.
Crops are fast decreasing in yield, and farmers must do something to stop this; they apply phosphorus and potassium, and yet the yields do not reach the amounts originally received. Logically the next thing to do is to add nitrogen to the soil, either in a commercial form, or in the form of legumes, but still the yields are below expectations. The farmer then begins to think seriously of what to do next. This ends in his deciding to try an application of the much touted lime and his yields increased very materially.

What Limed Fields Show
If the farmer is in touch with experiment station work, the determination to use lime is greatly strengthened by the results secured on experiment fields where lime has been used on land such as mentioned above.

On the Vienna experiment field the total amount of wheat produced in three crops show 8.4 bushels where no treatment was given. Where legume was grown and turned under, 18.5 bushels. Where the legume 28.9 bushels and where phosphorus was applied as well as the lime and legume 48.4 bushels. On the Fairfield experiment field where no lime or phosphorus was used, but nine tenths of a ton of weedy clover was cut. Just beside this where lime and phosphorus were used, 3.5 tons of clean clover were secured.

Kinds of Lime
There are ten or more kinds of lime that can be used for agricultural purposes; out of these there are really but three or four that can be called original materials, the others being simply forms of lime under a different method of treatment. For general or common use caustic or burnt lime and ground limestone are employed almost exclusively for the correction of soil abnormalities.

How These Forms Are Made
Burnt or caustic lime is made by

burning limestone, oyster shells and other such materials as are high in liming elements. On account of its high percentage of lime, 95 percent, this material is the most economical where distance of transportation is of consequence. One of the greatest objections to this form of lime is the fact that it has a tendency to act as a soil stimulant, speedily making available quantities of plant food. In hilly countries this is carried away in drainage waters, and the soil is thereby depleted.

The second and most important of the two forms is ground limestone. The business of quarrying and grinding this material is rapidly assuming large proportions. This is strikingly shown by the decrease in the output from a single crusher, located at the Southern Illinois Penitentiary; in 1906 this crusher put out 122 tons; in 1908 this had increased to 2428 tons and in 1910, had increased to the astounding proportions of 14,135 tons. Competition in this business is sharp and the selling price at the crusher is exceedingly low. After paying freight on the material under Illinois conditions, it costs from \$1.00 to \$2.50 per ton, according to locality.

Where Limestone Is Found
Limestone can be quarried along the Mississippi and nearly all the streams of the southern 150 miles of Illinois. Luckily for the southern or acid soil portion of the state, it can be found in the hills and ridges of the eight or ten southernmost counties. It is also found in large quantities in the northern division of the state.

Effects Produced
The effects by produced by the application of lime may be grouped under three distinct heads. One, the correction of soil acidity; two, the flocculation of the soil itself and three, decomposition of the soil.

1—Correction of Acidity
Most of the lime now used is for the correction of soil acidity, and to many farmers this reason for application seems the most profitable.

Most plants, and especially legumes, will not thrive in a soil showing an acid reaction. The sour condition stunts and retards the growth of the nitrogen gathering bacteria. The process of nitrification also suffers great loss from the abnormal condition and through this diminished nitrification there is a lessening of the amount of available plant food. Serious application of ground limestone for the above mentioned purposes.

One Use of Lime Injurious.

One use for some kinds of lime is to effect decomposition of the soil. The addition of lime for this purpose is rarely ever used by careful or thoughtful farmers. It consists in a stimulating action to the soil, and either burnt lime or calcium sulphate is chiefly used for this purpose. This

practice is safe only on those soils containing an abundance of organic matter. In this stimulating action, the organic matter of the soil is destroyed or burnt up, this process being accompanied by the liberation of phosphorus and nitrogen in such abundance as to be more than the plants can use. These are therefore carried out of the soil by some method of depletion. This use of lime is seldom if ever advisable.

Easy Test for Acid Soil.

A common, simple and inexpensive test for acid soil is by the use of litmus paper. A piece of moist soil is taken, broken in two and a piece of blue litmus paper pressed between the two halves and left for twenty minutes or half an hour. At the end of this time the pieces are pulled apart, the paper removed and allowed to dry. If the paper is red or nearer red than it was before placed in the soil, it is an indication of the presence of acid. This is also a sign that finely ground limestone will benefit such a soil. For five cents, sufficient blue litmus paper can be secured of your druggist, to make a thorough test for acid of a quarter section of land.

INTERESTING ITEMS

OF ILLINOIS NEWS
West Point—The inauguration of a new electric street lighting system was celebrated by the ringing of bells and the discharge of guns.

East St. Louis—Chief of Police G. Wash Thompson suspended three of his patrolmen, John O'Brien, James Leahy and Patrick Griffin, for neglect of duty. Three months ago, O'Brien who was then a sergeant, was reduced to the ranks for neglect of duty.

Belleville—A concrete chapel will be constructed at the county cemetery to house the dead, while the graves are being dug. This action was taken by the pauper committee of the board of supervisors of the county farm.

Decatur—S. A. Weaver, who is local office, just outside the city limits was burned without any attempt being made, he says, by the fire department, to prevent it, has replaced it with a structure on wheels. If it catches on fire he probably will haul it across the line so the firefighters can get into action.

Sullivan—A committee has been appointed to locate the exact spot where Lincoln and Douglas accidentally met in debate. Douglas was to speak at 10 o'clock but got in late. Lincoln was to speak at 3 but the two meetings conflicted causing a near riot.

Decatur—Leonard Crunelle, sculptor, formerly of Decatur, has designed a statue of Saskawea, the Indian

woman who acted as guide for Lewis and Clarke in their exploration of the northwest.

Galesburg—Lester T. Stone, clerk in the private headquarters of General Grant during the siege of Vicksburg, is dead.

Decatur—Plans are under way to revive or reorganize the old Decatur Real Estate board, which suspended operations about two years ago.

Paris—John Nolan, who was found sitting on a log in the woods looking for tomato seeds, was adjudged insane and sent to Kankakee.

Urbana—Mrs. Bessie Stephenson, who recently had her husband, Harry Stephenson, arrested for abandonment gave bond that he would pay her \$20 a month.

Danville—The sheriff of Adams county says he can clear a murder case wherein the body was thrown from the window of an East Main street building, and lodged on a picket fence, but there is no record of such a crime here.

Kampsville—V. J. Schumacher, a pilot on the steamer, Keystone State and well known riverman, who was stricken with paralysis at Kampsville, has been moved to his home in Grafton, where he is in a serious condition. The pilot landed his boat when he suddenly became unable to use one side of his body.

Mattoon—Mrs. Estella Bodell charged with the murder of her husband, John Bodell, was acquitted by a jury in the circuit court at Newton.

East St. Louis—A difference of more than 100 per cent between the lowest and highest bids was found by the trustees of the East Side Levee and Sanitary District when the assembled here to open bids for the work of building the great levee.

Zion City—Overseer Wilbur Voliva has completed arrangements for installing in his church seven pipe organs, played from one keyboard, 1,000 pipes in all.

Chenoo—W. D. Neher, a photographer, has finished a concrete block building on which figures were molded by hand, despite the assertion of expert cement men that he could not vary the designs without making molds.

Livingston—Because her husband became angry at her having a house dance to celebrate her daughter's wedding, and then deserted her, Mrs. Anna Dergan has filed suit for divorce. Mrs. Dergan alleges that at the time of her daughter's wedding and the dance, her husband, Michael Dergan, created a sensation among the guests of the dance in words not given in the dictionary.

Alton—Because Leon Kearsch the French cook, sang gospel hymns in the camp where the apple pickers of the Snedeker farm near Alton were staying, they ducked him in a pond of ice cold water. The apple pickers say that Kearsch arose at 4 o'clock in the morning and sang in a loud, round-toned voice, "Shall We Gather at the River?" and thus suggested to the angered apple pickers a lake near the farm, where he might be ducked.

WOMEN SHUN TAR TRIAL

But Men Rush to Court at Lincoln Center, Kan.

According to Miss Chamberlain Three Men Did the Actual Tarring While Others Looked.

Lincoln Center, Kan., Nov. 18.—Twelve men, all subject to challenge, sat in the jury box in the case of Sherrill Clark, a wealthy merchant, and brother of Everett G. Clark, who had pleaded guilty; A. M. Simms, a mill worker, and John Schmitt, farmer, charged with assault and battery in tarring Miss Mary Chamberlain, a school teacher of Shady Bend, Kan.

Following Judge Grover's order that no women or children be allowed in court because the judge believed the testimony would be "unfit for the ears of any mother or daughter of Lincoln Center," the few women who had been attending the trial were absent. The room, however, was crowded with men spectators.

According to Miss Chamberlain three men did the actual work of tarring, while the remainder of the mob looked on. One man held her prostrate; another held the bucket of tar and the third smeared the black mass over Miss Chamberlain's body and limbs.

COMPTON NEWS ITEMS OF THE DAY

LECTURE COURSE ENTERTAINMENT NOV. 24—CORN PICKERS QUIT, TOO COLD.

Compton, Nov. 18.—But little corn was picked this week owing to the bad weather. Some of the corn pickers who hail from a warmer climate quit their jobs on Wednesday and started on their return to the Sunny Southland.

The first number of the lecture course will be given by the Chicago Methodist Preachers' Male quartet, assisted by T. K. Gale as reader. This number will be given Friday night, Nov. 24. If satisfactory arrangements can be made the entire course will be held in the opera house. Watch for large posters.

The Epworth League committee appointed to select a play for the young people met and decided to give a play depicting college life entitled "For Old Eli." The parts are being assigned and the work of committing the parts will begin at once.

Mr. Anglemeier is engaged in constructing a barn on a farm near Shaws Station. The rain of Friday compelled them to quit work until the coming of more favorable weather.

Arthur Anglemeier has returned from Chicago where he took a course in undertaking and embalming.

Frank Card will resume his school duties next Monday after a month's vacation.

Owing to the bad condition of the roads there was no service at West Brooklyn Methodist church on last Sunday.

Rev. Hanly of the Anti-saloon league gave a very eloquent address at the Compton M. E. church Sunday morning.

The Epworth League is planning for a social time for everybody in the church Thanksgiving evening.

Nate Rhoads spent a few days in Aurora this week.

The Farmers institute is only a month away. We hope every farmer in this community is planning to attend every day and as many meetings as possible. The West Brooklyn people are planning to entertain royally. The programs will soon be out.

The funeral services of Simon P. Clapper were held at the church in the Berg on Thursday of this week. Rev. F. A. Graham of the Compton M. E. church officiating.

ALARM OF FIRE

PROVER TO BE FALSE

The fire department was called to the opera house at about 2:30 Friday afternoon by an alarm supposed to have come over the private alarm wire from the stage there. However, the firemen found that the alarm switch at the opera house had not been touched and that there was no indication of any fire. It is supposed the alarm was caused by some live wire falling onto the alarm circuit.



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Victrola VIII at \$40
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Victrolas \$15 to \$25 THEO. J. MILLER Victrolas \$10 to \$100

RED CROSS STAMPS AT POSTOFFICES

GOVERNMENT WILL AID IN THE GREAT WAR ON TUBERCULOSIS.

Residents of this city and county will be able this year to buy the Red Cross Christmas Seal—the little sticker which is providing the revenue for the great fight on tuberculosis—at the postoffices. Word that the postmaster general in Washington had granted permission for the sale of the seals in the postoffices throughout Illinois was received at the Chicago headquarters of the Illinois State Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis by the secretary of the organization, James Minnick.

It is seldom that the postal authorities allow the erection of booths in the postoffices, such as will be in the larger cities of the state, but the Red Cross Seal is an unusual means for an unusual cause. The seals are issued by the National Red Cross association, of which President Taft is the head, and every penny derived from their sale goes to the organized war on tuberculosis.

In Chicago and others of larger cities of the state, special booths will be erected in the postoffice lobbies by the organizations having in their charge the sales. The postoffice department itself has nothing to do with the sale of the Red Cross Seals and the seals are in no way to be confused with postage. The seals are

to be placed on the backs of letters only and the letters require the regular amount of postage.

The Chicago postoffice booth will be in charge of nurses and it is probable that this plan will be followed in other places.

The stamps will be placed on sale throughout the United States Dec. 2nd.

BASKETBALL TEAMS

PRACTICE TONIGHT

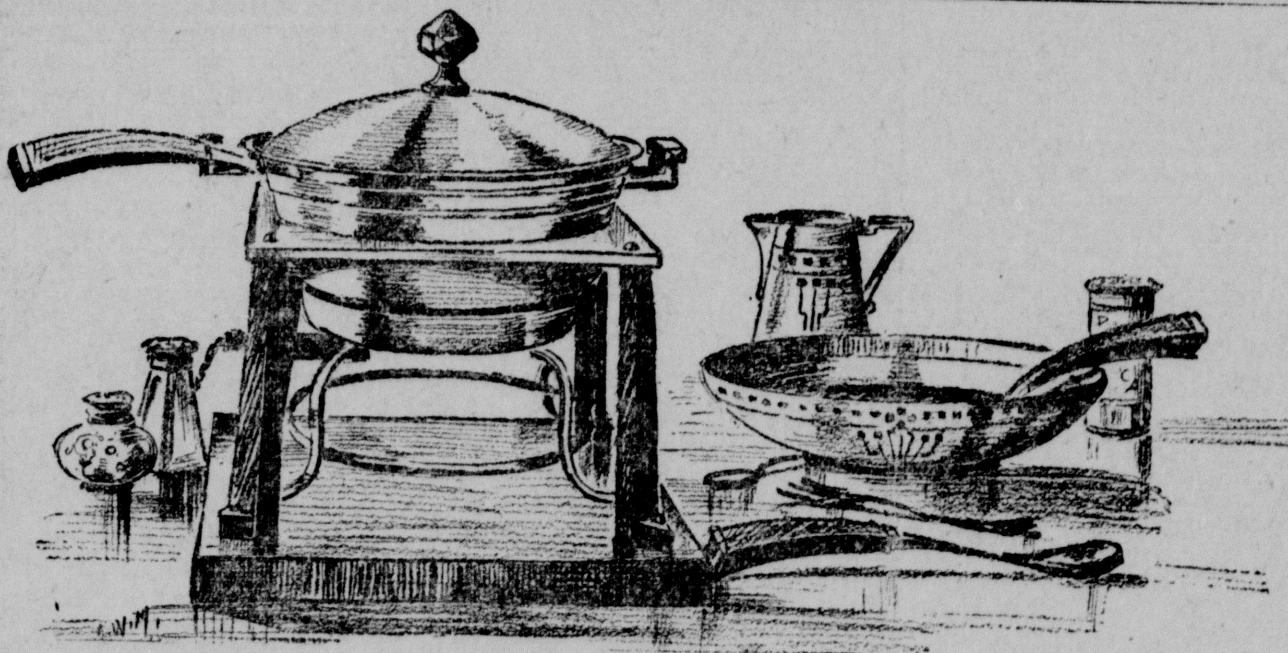
All Y. M. C. A. members who have taken part in any of the indoor basketball games at the Y. this fall are requested to meet at the association building tonight for practice. The preliminary work of selecting the association team which is to meet Sterling in a series of games will be begun with this practice and all players

AMERICAN RULES PERSIA

Treasurer General Shuster More Powerful Than Cabinet.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 18.—The Novoo Vremya says W. Gorgan Shuster, the American treasurer general, has been able, with the help of the gendarmes, to assume supreme authority in Persia. No organized government exists at Teheran, Mr. Shuster, according to the paper, having overridden the authority of the Persian cabinet which, by the way, resigned several days ago.

The paper continues, referring to the Russian expedition in Persia: "The Russian expedition will be principally directed against this American adventurer, Shuster, who is more powerful than the whole Persian government. Moscow was burned by the farthing candle of an incendiary. This conquistador must immediately be expelled."



An Electric Chafing Dish is Safe, Convenient and Economical

In the past, enjoyment of a Chafing Dish has been accompanied by various annoyances, inconveniences and dangers due to the use of alcohol for fuel.

An open alcohol flame on the table is, in itself, dangerous, the more so owing to the possibility and frequent occurrence of explosion. At best, there is attendant odor, soot and smoke, while too often, at the moment of need, it is discovered that there is no alcohol in the house.

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SECOND MESSAGE SENT BRODERICK

Copy of Holstlaw Telegram Is Produced at Inquiry.

DATE IS AUGUST 27, 1903

Following Day Was One on Which Iuka Man Claims to Have Received \$700 of Legislative Jack-Pot Money.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—The Lorimer investigating committee received additional corroboration of the confession of Former Senator D. W. Holstlaw of Iuka in the form of a newly discovered telegram.

This telegram, sent by Holstlaw to Senator John Broderick of Chicago, Friday, Aug. 27, 1903, was as follows: "I will meet you at your place of business 9 o'clock Saturday morning."

Aug. 28, 1903, was the date on which Mr. Holstlaw claims to have received \$700 jack-pot money from Senator Broderick in the latter's saloon in Chicago.

This was Mr. Holstlaw's second visit to the Broderick saloon, the first being on June 16, 1903, when he received \$2,500 Lorimer money.

This telegram, produced for the first time, was brought to Chicago by R. A. Chickedantz, manager of the Western Union Telegraph office in Iuka.

Another bit of documentary evidence was introduced and identified by John Hawkins and Miss Rose Zdonek, employees of the American Telephone and Telegraph company.

This was a slip showing that a long-distance telephone conversation was held between Robert E. Wilson in Malloy's saloon in Chicago and Former Representative H. J. C. Beckmeyer in Carlyle, on April 21, 1910.

Beckmeyer testified several weeks ago that Representative Wilson, alleged distributor of jack-pot money, called him by long-distance telephone and asked him to meet him in Springfield the following day.

This was during the period just before the publication of the White confession, when those involved were getting together to map out a line of defense.

Wilson has denied that he had such a long-distance conversation, although he admits he met Mr. Beckmeyer in Springfield "by accident."

Appropriations Committee at Panama. Panama, Nov. 18.—The house committee on appropriations arrived here from the United States and will spend a week investigating the work that is being done on the Panama canal.

Fifteen Sailors Drown. Quebec, Nov. 18.—Fifteen of a crew of eighteen men lost their lives when the Norwegian bark Antigua was driven ashore at Martin river.

WEATHER FORECAST
Indiana and Illinois—Fair today and tomorrow; brisk northwesterly winds diminishing.
Wisconsin—Clear today; fair tomorrow; brisk and high northwest winds diminishing.

MARKET QUOTATIONS
Chicago Cash Grain Quotations.
Chicago, Nov. 17.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 96¢; No. 3 red, 95¢; No. 2 hard winter, 95¢; No. 1 hard winter, 95¢; No. 2 northern spring, \$1.08; No. 1 northern spring, \$1.04; No. 3 spring, \$1.00; No. 2 corn, 75¢; No. 3 yellow, 75¢; No. 2 white, 75¢; No. 3 yellow, new, 67½¢; Oats—No. 2, 47½¢; No. 2 white, 49½¢; No. 3 white, 48½¢; standard, 48½¢; 49½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.
Hogs—Receipts 24,000. Quotations ranged at \$6.60 to \$6.70 choice heavy, \$6.35 to \$6.60 choice light, \$6.40 to \$6.55 heavy packing, and \$5.15 to \$5.85 good to choice pigs.

Cattle—Receipts 3,000. Quotations ranged at \$8.60 to \$9.15 prime steers, \$3.75 to \$4.50 good to choice fed beef cows, \$4.50 to \$5.65 good to choice feeders, \$5.25 to \$5.75 selected feeders, \$3.65 to \$4.40 fair to good stockers, \$7.75 to \$8.25 good to choice veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts 9,000. Quotations ranged at \$5.75 to \$6.00 choice to prime native lambs, \$4.25 to \$4.65 good to choice fed yearlings, \$3.75 to \$3.90 choice to prime fed wethers, \$3.10 to \$3.25 good to choice handy ewes.

Butter.
Creamery, per lb., 32¢; prints, 34¢; extra firsts, 30¢; firsts, 28¢; dairies, extra, 28¢; firsts, 25¢; packing stock, 20¢.

Live Poultry.
Turkeys, per lb., 15¢; chickens, fowls, 8¢; roasters, 7¢; springs, 9½¢; ducks, 12¢; geese, 11½¢.

Potatoes.
Wisconsin, 48¢ to 53¢ per bush; Michigan, 53¢ to 55¢.

East Buffalo Live Stock.
East Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 17.
Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 15 cars; market higher; heavy, \$6.7 to \$6.80; Yorkers, \$6.60 to \$6.70; pigs, \$6.00 to \$6.15. Sheep—Receipts 50 cars; market slow; top lambs, \$5.50; yearlings, \$4.00 to \$4.25; wethers, \$3.50 to \$3.75; ewes, \$3.00 to \$3.25. Calves, \$4.50 to \$5.00.

SUES M'VEAGH FOR \$100,000

Former Customs Collector Asks Damages for Alleged Libel.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Depositions in the suit of Charles F. Leach, formerly collector of customs at Cleveland, O., against Franklin MacVeagh, secretary of the treasury, will be filed here soon in the circuit court, according to Leach's counsel.

Service in the suit has been made upon Mr. MacVeagh. Leach is suing the secretary for \$100,000 as damages for alleged libelous statements in connection with Leach's removal from office by President Taft.

THREE BADLY HURT IN WRECK

Passenger Train and Switch Engine Collide on B. & O. S. W.

Washington, Ind., Nov. 18.—Traffic on the B. & O. S. W. has been demoralized because a fast passenger train met head-on with a switch engine at Breese, Ill.

Charles J. Guth, engineer, and Stanley T. Potts, fireman, were brought to their homes in this city in a badly injured condition. Mail Clerk Pennington of Cincinnati is in a hospital in Breese. Two car loads of mail were burned and the engine and baggage car demolished.

LEAVES ALL TO WIDOW

Estate of the Late John R. Walsh Is Placed at \$825,000.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—The will of John R. Walsh was filed for probate. The entire estate is left to the widow, Mrs. Mary L. Walsh, who is named as the sole executrix.

The estate consists of \$800,000 in stocks and bonds and a single parcel of real estate, the homestead at 2133 Calumet avenue, valued at \$25,000.

Admits Three-Year-Old Murder.

Danville, Ill., Nov. 18.—Sidney Baker, arrested on a charge of intoxication and who later confessed the murder of Peter Waelitz at Belleville, Ill., Nov. 21, 1908, was taken back to that city by the sheriff. Baker said he has had no peace of mind since the death of Waelitz.

Romance of Two Telegraphers.

Rantoul, Ill., Nov. 18.—The marriage of Albert Rannels of this town and Miss Jessie Kratz of Chicago, just announced, is the climax of an interesting romance of the wires. Both are telegraph operators and became acquainted by conversing in the Morse code.

American Love for Law Suits.

Clinton, Ill., Nov. 18.—Illustrative of the abnormal litigious disposition of so many American citizens is a dispute over a second-hand stove which has just been appealed from Weldon to the DeWitt county circuit court. The stove is worth a trivial sum.

Mystery in Pioneer's Death.

Elgin, Ill., Nov. 18.—Mystery surrounds the death of Thomas M. Dougherty, seventy-one years old, pioneer resident and real estate dealer of this city. Mr. Dougherty disappeared and his body was found in a woods a mile and a half south of Elgin.

Dunlap an Apple King.

Savoy, Ill., Nov. 18.—Senator H. M. Dunlap, who owns extensive apple orchards near this town, is one of the most successful apple kings of Illinois. The total output of the Dunlap trees this year was 60,000 bushels, valued wholesale at \$45,000.

Heyworth, Ill., Store Burns.

Heyworth, Ill., Nov. 18.—Fire that started in the Wakefield building, a three-story brick structure, occupied by Washburn's department store, and for a time threatened the entire town, caused a loss of nearly \$50,000.

One Year Without a Hat.

Elmwood, Ill., Nov. 18.—David McKown of this town won a bet of \$100 that he would go an entire year without wearing a hat. He got the money. He says that the absence of a hat has greatly increased his growth of hair.

Thirteen Hurt in Collision.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Thirteen persons, four of them women, were injured in a collision of Thirty-Fifth street trolley cars. A work car containing a concrete mixer ran into a coach carrying passengers at Halsted street.

Robbers Shoot Farmer and Girl.

Adair, Ill., Nov. 18.—Uriah McDonald, a farmer, was shot and probably fatally injured and his daughter Nellie was badly wounded by two robbers who entered their home.

Georgetown Stores Burned.

Georgetown, Ill., Nov. 18.—Fire that threatened to sweep the business district of this town was put out after three stores had been destroyed with a loss of \$5,000.

No More Gambling in Kirkland.

Kirkland, Ill., Nov. 18.—Mayor John MacQueen of Kirkland has issued an order prohibiting candy or other raffish and card machines and all games of chance.

Claims Husking Championship.

Princeton, Ill., Nov. 18.—Carl Raub, a farmer of Bureau county, claims to be the champion corn husker of the world, his record being 185 bushels in ten hours.

Attractive Hats



THE two hats pictured here are of that useful variety known as semi-dress or tailored hats and are designed for general wear. They are of substantial materials well put together. They are quite elaborate enough to harmonize with a dressy costume and not too much trimmed to be worn with the plainest of tailored gowns. Where women do not have occasion to go out a great deal, such hats are the best choice. ("Going out" in this connection signifies filling social engagements).

It goes without saying, almost, that every woman should walk in the open air for a time, every day of her life. Most of them do, going about the business of life—marketing, shopping or getting out to other lines of endeavor. Very plain hats will answer for wear in the morning, but every woman needs a tailored hat for church—and other occasions demanding the proper attention to her personal appearance. Women going to and from business choose the plainer types of tailored millinery, or rather those made of the most durable millinery materials, such as beavers, felts and cloth covered shapes, with trimming of silk velvet or fancy feathers.

Fig. 1 is a shape which may be had in felt or velvet, with a fancy braid crown. Velvet loops and chenille rosettes and tassels with a narrow crushed band of velvet makes up the trimming. The color combinations possible in this model are very fine. The bonnet-like shape adapts the hat to the faces of older as well as young women.

The moderately large hat of felt, shown in Fig. 2 is faced with velvet and has a velvet collar about the crown. A large handsome pompon of short ostrich tips forms all the trimming it needs. This hat may be made in any good color or combination of colors. It protects the head and eyes and is very generally becoming—a hat to be worn with almost any costume.

We should beware of the "bare-headed" fad that possesses some communities, as it is very bad for the hair. Just now more caps for morning and evening wear are made than for many years. Nevertheless girls and women ride about the city and country roads with the hair unprotected and blowing about to become loaded with filthy dust. The hair is naturally oily and dirt sticks to it. Too frequent washing makes it brittle and injures its texture and color, yet there is no other way of keeping it clean except to protect it from the dust laden air. In the country one may wear sunbonnets; those cut gracefully are as pretty as any head covering ever made. In the city there are well fitting soft street hats that protect the hair and eyes. Mothers should insist on their daughters wearing hats, or caps, to and from school, as a matter of cleanliness. If this precaution is taken, the hair may be kept clean without literally wearing it out with washing. Once a month will be often enough for the shampoo.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

PRETTY BODICE.



Almost any dress material can be made up in this style. The round yoke and collar-band are of tuck net, the shaped trimming of fancy silk piped at the edge with some plain dark-colored silk; the sleeves are set into the armhole with a little fullness, and are finished with cuffs of silk to match the trimming.

Materials required: 1½ yard 42 inches wide, ¾ yard silk 22 inches wide, ¼ yard dark silk on the cross, ½ yard tucked net.

Do You Know

That when a gown is made of two materials, such as satin and cloth, etamine and satin, or any mingling of the lighter stuffs, the fashion of the dress is extremely ornate, and all sorts of fine needlework are displayed in the tucks, the ruchings and the embroideries of the trimmings, especially of the coat?

IDEAS IN SEPARATE SKIRTS

Garment Practically Indispensable and a Wide Choice of Materials May Be Made.

If you would profit by the example of French tailors, you will order separate skirts of one of the following materials:

First, a double-faced cloth that has leaped into important place is being used. It practically trims itself, and will be very popular for this economical reason.

Then there are chevrons and serges for light-weight models, and all colors are in vogue, the neutral shades and dark blue leading.

Heavy fancy suitings are very popular. The English tweeds and mixed suitings are having a tremendous favoritism shown them by the leading houses.

Tailored skirts are not so straight in outline, many showing slashed effects at the side, and all are made walking length.

Some have a slightly raised waist-band, so that no belt is needed, while others show a normal line, with a stitched band attached to the skirt. On others a back panel is attached, with a modified front edge that extends towards the front, thus forming a belt or girder.

Artificial Flowers.

Artificial flowers are still strictly en vogue. Before condemning the custom of plagiarizing nature consider the satisfaction of knowing the flower necessary to the harmonious whole of the gown is certain to remain fresh think of the security offered by the fact that it cannot crush and ruin one's favorite gown, or droop and finally scatter its faded leaves over the floor, a mute suggestion of the year's flagging animation. Then, too, the art of copying flowers has reached such a stage of perfection that only the acute and appraising eye can detect the pretty deception, which is its own excuse.

OLD TESTAMENT TIMES BROOKLYN TABERNACLE BIBLE STUDIES A GREAT REFORMER.

Ezra's Methods Criticized Unjustly.
Ezra viii, 15-36—Nov. 19
"The hand of our God is upon all them for good that seek Him."

EZRA was a learned Jew who headed a great reformation movement. As God's agent he was largely responsible for the maintenance of the Jewish faith and nation. His family had been amongst the many carried captive by Nebuchadnezzar. Ezra, imbued with a spirit of religious fervor based upon faith in God and His promises to Israel, headed another company bound for Jerusalem—seventy-eight years after the return of the exiles.

The Jews evidently were prosperous in Babylon, and their exile, for a time at least, led them to earnest study of the Law and the Prophets. These were vexed as they from time to time heard of the poverty of their brethren in Jerusalem, and that matters religious were not prosperous there, and the rebuilding of the temple which represented Divine presence with the nation was but poorly served.

Deeply in earnest for a revival of the true religion, Ezra laid the matter before a representative in Babylon and before the Persian king, with favorable results. Large donations were made for the repairs to the temple and the institution of its worship upon a proper basis, and in general to help the interests of the Jewish cause in Jerusalem. The donations of gold and silver totaled a little more than two million dollars, and the number of persons who volunteered to be of the company was about seventeen hundred.

"In All Thy Ways Acknowledge Him."

The beginning of the journey with fasting and prayer gives us an insight into Ezra's power and efficiency. "God was with him," he walked with God, he sought to know and to do the Divine will. Surely it is in vain that any would attempt to serve the Lord and yet neglect to humble themselves before Him and to make request for His blessing and guidance. We submit that fasting and prayer and earnest desire to know and to do the Lord's will are far more efficacious for good than are large donations of money. Perhaps there has been too great a tendency on the part of many to leave out the matter of religious work at home and abroad save along financial lines, forgetful, in part at least, that they labor in vain unless the Lord grant His blessing.

The fact that notwithstanding our wonderful financial efforts during the past century there are today twice as many heathen as there were a century ago, should take us to the Lord in prayer to assure ourselves regarding the meaning of the prayer He taught us—"Thy Kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is done in heaven." Seeing the futility of our efforts to bring about heavenly conditions on earth ought to lead all of God's earnest children to search His Word and to see whether or not it teaches that the second coming of Messiah is to unite to Himself His "elect" Church as His Bride and then to establish the Kingdom which will bind Satan and overthrow sin and death.

The Way of Transgressors.

Ezra and his party reached Jerusalem in safety after a journey of exactly four months. As great a distance can be covered in less than four days with our modern conveniences, which surely seem to be precursors of the glorious Messianic Epoch, the wonderful prosperity of which has so long been foretold.

Ezra soon found that many Jews were inter-marrying with their heathen neighbors, and that a condition of things prevailed which if continued would mean the corruption of the nation to which God had given the promise of national continuity, and the promise that ultimately He would use them as a nation for the sending out of the light and truth which He has promised shall yet bless all the families of the earth.

A general assembly or convocation of Israelites was called for and held to consider this matter of mixed marriages and the requirements of the law, and any failing to be represented were notified that they would be in danger of being counted out of the congregation, as aliens. It was a time of weeping and sorrow and distress amongst the people as they realized that conformity to the Divine Law would mean the breaking of family ties. The Divine Law had been broken and now the penalty was to be felt. The way of the transgressors was hard.

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Nov. 28—R. P. Andrews, 1 mile south of Prairieville.

Nov. 27—John Kuehnle, closing out sale; 8 miles southwest of Dixon.

Dec. 5—On Wm. Rink farm, 1 mile southwest of Dixon.

Dec. 6—A. J. Cooper, closing out sale, 13 miles northeast of Dixon.

Dec. 20—Amos Holzhauser, 1 mile north Woosung.

Jan. 24—S. E. Eakle, Prophetstown, Ill. Brood sow sale.

Jan. 31—Kuper Bros., Bellevue, Ia. Brood sow sale.

Feb. 2—Elam Hill, 4 miles west of Dixon on township line road.

Dec. 7—W. L. Emmitt, 3 miles south of Nelson.

Dec. 26—D. A. Howard, 5 miles south of Dixon on the Jelle Duls farm.

Dec. 5, Tuesday—Joseph Rhodes, one and a half miles southwest of Dixon on Wm. Rink farm. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Dec. 20, Wednesday—Amos Holzhauser, one mile north of Woosung. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Jan. 23, Tuesday—Dan Prindaville, four miles north of Dixon. Fahrney and Pittman, Aucts.

Feb. 1, Thursday—F. N. Alter, 5 1-2 miles north of Dixon. Fahrney & Ocker, Aucts.

Feb. 2, Friday—Elam Hill, five miles west of Dixon on Township line road. Fahrney & Pittman, Aucts.

Feb. 6, Tuesday—Albert Glessner, one and a half miles north of cement factory, Dixon. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Wednesday, Dec. 13—Geo. McWeathy, on Truman farm, 3-4 mile north of Assembly grounds, Dixon, Ill. Fahrney & Fruin, Aucts.

Tuesday, Dec. 19—Bert Rinzner, 2 miles southeast of Dixon on Albert Juelfs farm. F. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 8—Draft brood sow sale at John Duffy's feed shed. 50 head of registered Duroc and Poland China. Catalogues ready Jan. 15, 1912. Geo. Fruin, Mgr.

Feb. 13—Ben Bouse closing out sale, 5 miles southeast of Dixon.

Saturday, Feb. 10—Fred Whipperman, Dixon.

Tuesday, Dec. 12—Addison Missman, 2 1-2 miles northwest of Dixon, Woosung road.

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Fourth Bound.

*123 Express 10:34 a. m.

*131 Clinton Exp. 5:00 p. m.

*191 Amboy Frt. 9:50 a. m.

North Bound.

*132 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.

*124 Local Mail 5:22 p. m.

*192 Freeport Frt. 12:30 p. m.

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East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 3:21 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

16 4:43 a. m. 7:20 a. m.

10 5:46 a. m. 8:30 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.

28 7:21 a. m. 10:15 a. m.

8 8:33 a. m. 11:20 a. m.

14 10:48 a. m. 1:30 p. m.

20 11:18 a. m. d'ly exSun 2:40 p. m.

18 4:04 p. m. d'ly exSun 7:25 p. m.

100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

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No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

17 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:14 a. m.

99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.

5 8:30 a. m. 11:05 a. m.

13 10:00 a. m. 12:32 p. m.

19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun 3:43 p. m.

27 4:35 p. m. 7:29 p. m.

*11 6:05 p. m. 8:37 p. m.

25 7:00 p. m. 9:42 p. m.

*1 8:30 p. m. 11:02 p. m.

7 10:16 p. m. 12:51 a. m.

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17 37 57 Galena & First 23 43 3

20 40 60 Office 20 40 60

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She Did Not Want That "Legal Septuaginta," Either.

Seeking redress for domestic troubles a negro woman who resembled nothing so much as she did the "before taking" half of an anti-fat remedy appeared at the office of a Washington judge a few days ago.

"I'm a wronged woman," she bided in a give-me-back-those-papers Jack-Dalton voice. "Ah wants redress."

"What's the trouble?" inquired the sympathetic judge.

"It's 'bout mah ole man. He's done been caynin' on high wif a lot uv dese young niggah gals, an' it's got so bad wif I don't see him more'n once a week. Somepin's got 't be done!"

The judges eye held a crafty gleam. "You are seeking a divorce—a legal separation?" he questioned.

"Go 'long, man! Divo'ce nothin'. Think I'm kwine 't gin 'im what he wants and 'low dat man who, despite all his cussedness, is de hand-somest niggah in Willow Tree alley 't go sky-shootin' roun' 'mong dem gals? Na, sah! I doan want no divo'ce ner dat legal septuaginta yer's talkin' 'bout. What I wants is a in-junction!"

Vanity of Men.

It was a grand party given by one of the noted gentlemen of the city, and most of the guests were men. There was a woman, however, to be seen here and there.

At one of the tables there were a number of young men discussing the problem, "Are Most Women Vain?" Of course most of the young men agreed that they were.

A young woman was sitting at this table, and she listened to the conversation as long as she could stand it. At last things got too much for her, and she arose and politely said: "You all agree that most women are vain, but what if I tell you that the handsomest man sitting at this table has forgotten to put on his necktie?"

Immediately all the men put their hands up to their necks, and then she asked, as she left the room, "Are women the only creatures in this world who are vain?"

Pity About Dick.

A man tells of a dinner he once had at a farmhouse, on which occasion the piece de resistance was literally a very tough chicken.

Among those at table were the farmer's two young sons. These, as well as the guests, were struggling unsuccessfully to make some impression on their respective helpings, when the younger boy turned to his companion.

"Tom," he said, softly, "somehow I wish old Dick hadn't 'a' died. Don't you?"

CURED.



"But how did you break yourself of sleeping during the sermon?" "I quit going to church."

The Robin's Epitaph.

The two little granddaughters of Dr. S. Weir Mitchell were showing a new goodness their treasures of house and garden. Behind a box-hedge they paused.

"This is the place where our birds are buried," said one of the children. At the head of a tiny grave was placed a white board. Printed on it in irregular characters, with a lead pencil, were these words:

"Here lie our Robins; one a week old, one only an egg."

Applies for Health.

A correspondent writes to ask us what he should do when his doctor pays him more visits than are necessary. We would remind our correspondent of the old saying:

An apple a day Keeps the doctor away. But the apple must, of course, be well aimed.

His Real Mission.

A small boy was fishing and accidentally tumbled into the creek. As an old man on the bank was helping him out he said: "How did you come to fall into the river, my little man?"

"I didn't come to fall into the river. I came to fish."

New Mother-in-Law Joke.

Theatre Official (to students)—You are not allowed to join in the chorus, gentlemen.

Students—Don't you worry. We are singing something quite different—Fieglende Blatter.

Only An Ordeal.

"Ma, why does Sis sing so much when Mr. Spoonamore is here?" "I think, dear, she is trying to test his love."—Chicago Recording Herald.

The Toast of the Woman-Hater. "Here's wishing Adam had died with all his ribs in his body!"

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ATTORNEY TELLS DEFENSE PLANS

Mrs. Vermilya's Lawyer States What He Intends to Prove.

SEES NO MOTIVE FOR MURDERS

Maintains Confidently that Woman Accused of Poisoning Policeman with Arsenic is Entirely Innocent.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—The defense of Mrs. Louise Vermilya, now in the county jail hospital, charged with the murder of Policeman Bissonette and suspected of poisoning nine other persons who ate at her "flat of mystery," was outlined by her attorney, Joseph R. Burres. Burres said he will prove:

That the state must establish a motive for the death of Bissonette.

That it is an issue as to whether the policeman died of arsenic poisoning as claimed.

That Mrs. Vermilya would not have killed Bissonette for jealousy.

That Mrs. Vermilya, if bent on taking another's life, would have killed Miss Lydia Rivard, fiancée of Bissonette, if jealousy had been the motive instead of putting to death the man of her affections.

That Richard T. Smith, Illinois Central conductor, tried to commit suicide a month before he died and the vial which contained poison was snatched away from him by a fellow conductor.

That Smith was remorseful and intended to take a trip to Hot Springs, Ark., for his health.

That Frank Brinkamp, son of Mrs. Vermilya, died of malaria.

That Mrs. Vermilya was a devoted mother and nursed her son for nine weeks in a hospital in Richmond, Va., before he was brought to Chicago in a dying condition.

That the state cannot establish any motive for any of the crimes charged against Mrs. Vermilya.

"Mrs. Vermilya is innocent, and I will prove this fact in court," said Burres after he had visited the prisoner in the jail hospital.

STRANGE CASE OF APHASIA

Artist Forgets Absolutely His Name, Occupation and Past Life.

Indianapolis, Nov. 18.—In August last a man was found in Hendricks county, apparently demented, and was taken to jail. He did not know or would not tell his name and for weeks the authorities tried to find some clue to his identity. He was transferred to the hospital for the insane near this city and Mrs. E. F. Baker of Chicago came here and identified him as Franz Choback. She said she saw a picture of the man in a newspaper and thought she recognized him as an artist who had painted likenesses of herself and children several years ago.

There was a mutual recognition between Choback and Mrs. Baker and they had a long talk in which they recalled the time spent by Choback in the Baker home while he was engaged in painting several pictures of the Baker family.

HIGH COST OF LIVING QUIZ

Commissioner Neill Begins at St. Louis on Butter and Eggs.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 18.—Charles P. Neill, United States commissioner of labor, began here an investigation of the high cost of living and its causes. "We will go into the cost of the common staple articles of food used by every family," said Commissioner Neill. "The price of butter and eggs interests me most. From here I will go to Kansas to investigate wheat prices."

NO INDICTMENTS RETURNED

United States Grand Jury in Savannah Issues Its Report.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 18.—The grand jury of the United States court made its report. No bills were found either against the cotton bears, who were under investigation, or the local grain dealers, who were alleged to have a combination in restraint of trade to maintain grain prices.

Army and Navy Y. M. C. A. Dedicated. Newport, R. I., Nov. 18.—In the presence of several hundred invited guests, including many officers of the army and navy, the new \$300,000 Army and Navy Y. M. C. A. building here, the gift of Mrs. Thomas J. Emery of Cincinnati, in memory of her two sons, Sheldon and Albert, was dedicated with elaborate ceremonies.

Choses Milwaukee for 1912. San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 18.—The National Association of Baseball leagues chose Milwaukee as the convention city for 1912.

Report Adopted. Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 19.—The majority report declaring against the parcels post was adopted by the transmississippi congress, 90 to 16.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS—BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 14, 1911.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Administration at Springfield, Illinois, in its office in the Capitol Building, up to 11:00 a. m., December 11, 1911, and then there publicly opened, for the erection of a laundry building at the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' home at Normal, Illinois.

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FRANK D. WHIPP, Fiscal Supervisor. 71 3

BURNS AFTER WRECKERS

Detective Investigates Derailing of Pennsylvania Fast Mail.

Indianapolis, Nov. 18.—It was learned here that W. K. Burns, head of the Burns Detective agency, who has been here, did not make his visit in connection with the dynamite cases, but to investigate the circumstances attending the wrecking of the fast mail train on the Pennsylvania railroad near Irvington.

Engineer McGraw was killed and several injured in the wreck, and the railroad officials are positive that the wreck was caused by a train wrecker and that the motive was revenge.

ROOSEVELT A CANDIDATE?

Norman E. Mack Says It Is Neck and Neck Between Him and Taft.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 18.—Norman E. Mack of Buffalo, chairman of the Democratic national committee, said in an interview here:

"Roosevelt is now an avowed candidate for the Republican nomination for president. It will be a neck and neck race between him and Taft in the convention."

Deer Plentiful in Wisconsin.

New Richmond, Wis., Nov. 18.—Hunters are returning from the north unusually early this year. Deer are plentiful. Ed Neitge killed three black bears, an unusual thing for northern Wisconsin.

Aeroplane Corps for Germany.

Berlin, Nov. 18.—It is announced that the government will spend \$1,500,000 for military aeroplanes in 1912. Germany will be divided into districts, each of which will have a flying squadron. 72 3*

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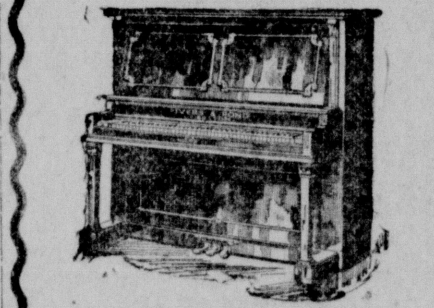
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